

ELECTRIC VEHICLE MEN OPEN GREAT CONVENTION HERE

Delegates From All Parts of the Country Meet—Edison to Attend—Mayor Welcomes Guests.

Representative men in the electric vehicle industry from various parts of the country today attended the opening session of the fifth annual convention of the Electric Vehicle Association of America.

The Mayor addressed the road travelers in the Clover Room, which is decorated with electric lights and a 14-foot electric emblem of the association.

Mr. Marshall advocated friendly relations with the press and urged the delegates to take advantage of all forms of publicity in the campaign for business.

The European development in the electric vehicle industry was outlined by Dr. Wagoner. He said that about 3200 electric vehicles were being used in Europe now.

Convention ceremonies will be forgotten tomorrow evening, when a ball will be held. An automobile ride will be taken by the delegates through the city and suburbs during their stay here.

Police Make Two Arrests After Discovery of Body—Seek Third Person. Police of the 1st and Thompson streets station expect to make an arrest today which will throw more light on the circumstances surrounding the death of Edward Kenny.

Daniel Packard, Fireman, Collapses at His Post. Daniel Packard, 65 years old, of 2341 South American street, a fireman on the tugboat Gerard Darlington, collapsed on deck today.

BROKER'S WIFE ARRESTED ON NEIGHBOR'S CHARGE

Mt. Airy Families in Court as Aftermath of Children's Quarrel. A quarrel between children of two Mount Airy families resulted in the arrest of Mrs. Elsie Wrenn, 43 East Gorgas lane, wife of Franklin D. Wrenn, a stock broker with offices in the Stock Exchange Building.

BLUE-BLOODED HORSES PERISH IN \$15,000 FIRE

Large Stables of J. Howard Supplee Destroyed at Villanova. Fire early today destroyed the large stables of J. Howard Supplee, on Gulf road, Villanova. Nine horses perished, two with their foals, and tons of hay were burned.

Arrested After Offering Stubborn Resistance in Chinese Restaurant. After a fight in a Chinese restaurant at 219 Race street, Stella Smith, 5th and Race streets, was arrested and held in 500 ball for a further hearing today by Magistrate Tracy.

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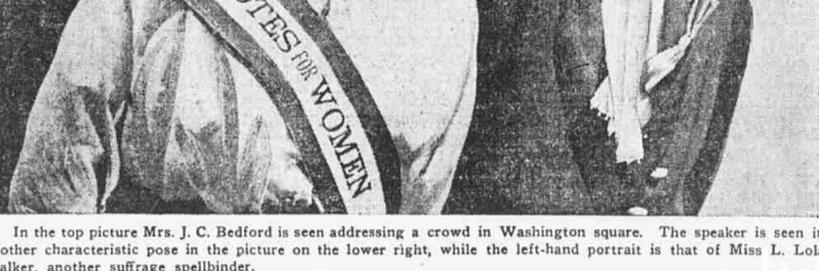
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WOMEN SUFFRAGE ORATORS IN FIRST DAY'S CAMPAIGN



COUNCILS' SUDDEN CHARITY REGARDED AS POLITICAL MOVE

A meeting of the special joint committee of Councils, named to confer with representatives of charitable organizations of the city for the purpose of discussing methods of dispensing charity to the city's unemployed during the coming winter, will be held in City Hall tomorrow afternoon.



FLYING SQUADRONS OF SUFFRAGISTS IN SWIFT TOUR OF CITY

Begin Today Their Six-day Campaign Through 26 Legislative Districts. Leave Workers in Wake. Cheers and applauded by more than 300 persons, suffragists speaking at noon today from a heavy motortruck in Washington Square, inaugurated a six-day legislative campaign in automobiles for "votes for women."

SUFFRAGE LEAGUE MEETS

Business Meeting of Swarthmore Workers Held Today. The Woman Suffrage League of Swarthmore held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert C. Brooks, in Swarthmore, today. Several delegates to the State Federation of Women's Clubs in Pittsburgh were especially commended upon.

MAN STRICKEN ON STREET

Dies on Way to Hospital in Improvised Ambulance. Stricken by heart disease two squares from his home, Thomas J. Curtis, 55 years old, 725 Penn. street, Camden, died while being taken to the Cooper Hospital.

ELECTRIC-PROPELLED NAVAL COLLIER HERE FOR CARGO

Uncle Sam's Test Shows New Engines to Be Successful. Uncle Sam's only electric-propelled naval adjunct, the collier Jupiter, arrived at this port early this afternoon. The vessel came from the Mare Island Navy Yard via the Panama Canal.

PUMPING STATION INSPECTION

Contemplated Improvements Will Be Shown Council's Committee. An inspection of the pumping stations and filter beds of the Water Bureau will be made by Council's Committee on Water Friday afternoon. The committee will visit the stations at Belmont, Queen Lane, Shawmont and Roxborough, which provide the supply for West Philadelphia and the northwest section.

900 SHIPBUILDERS REJOICE OVER BATTLESHIP CONTRACT

Official Award to Camden Company Provides Four Years' Work. Nine hundred employees of the New York Shipbuilding Company of Camden, today received an early Christmas present when the Government announced that it had awarded the building of three big battleships to the Camden yard. The contract price of the war vessel is \$7,250,000.

SHOTS FIRED DURING CHASE AFTER ALLEGED THIEVES

One Man Captured After Department Store Window Was Smashed. Revolver shots fired early today during a chase after two alleged thieves around residents in the neighborhood of 10th and Filbert streets, and resulted in the arrest of one of the men, who is accused of smashing a show case at Berg Brothers' store, 30th and Market streets, but his alleged accomplice escaped.

LABOR DISPUTE CAUSES DISTURBANCE IN FRONT OF COAT MAKERS' SHOP

Police were called out this morning to quell a disturbance in front of the coat manufacturing shop of Nathan W. Albus, 205 Market street. Two arrests were made. One man was hurt. According to Mr. Albus, the trouble was caused by persons calling his employees out on strike because some of them worked overtime on Saturday.

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GIRL TRIES TO DIE IN RIVER; SAVED BY POLICEMAN'S DIVE

Tired of Poverty and the Struggle, 15-year-old Florence Richardson Leaps Off Pier. Poverty and the hard struggle for existence, the police say, led Florence Richardson, 15 years old, of 318 Christian street, to attempt suicide today by drowning in the Delaware River at the foot of South street. She was saved by Policeman Goodfriend, of the 3d and Delancey streets station.

BOASTS LEAD TO ARREST

Man's Careless Statements Cause Police to Hold Three for Robbery. Boasting led to the arrest of Samuel Jacobson, 19 years old, of Toledo, Ohio, Joseph Rubin, 28 years old, and Harry Cohen, age 17, both of Brooklyn, N. Y., who are wanted by the Chester police for alleged petty larceny. According to the police they are also charged with robbing a church in Chester.

USE X-RAY TO DETERMINE FOOTBALL PLAYER'S INJURY

Physicians Believe Gridiron Victim Is Suffering From Fracture of Spine. Physicians of the Frankford Hospital staff decided today to take an X-ray photograph in order to determine whether John Schaller, of 2677 Ann street, who was injured while playing football on Saturday, is suffering from a broken spine.

A. N. OYSTER WAS "STEWED," ACCORDING TO POLICEMAN

Clam-Like Reticence Angers Magistrate, Who Gives Him 3 Months. A. N. Oyster was arrested from his bed this morning and arrested. His bed happened to be close to the trolley tracks of the Frankford and Torresdale line and Police Officer Martin, of the Frankford police station, "Oyster was stewed."

CHILD DIES OF BURNS

Policeman Was Called to His Own Home, to Find His Boy in Agony. Four-year-old John Stanton, of 213 Broad street, is dead in the Mare Island Drexel annex of the German Hospital as a result of burns suffered on Thursday, when he played with matches.

ACQUITTED OF STABBING

Jury Finds Harris Didn't Stick Needle Into Girl's Arm. A charge that Abraham R. Harris, 21 years old, of South 4th street, inflicted a needle puncture on the arm of Irene Mann, 16 years old, of 11th street above Diamond, in a Market street moving picture theatre, was held by Judge Martin today acquitted Harris.

EMPIRE STATE SUFFRAGISTS

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Under the direction of the Empire State Campaign Committee, the New York 1915 campaign for women suffrage will be opened in Carnegie Hall on November 1. A large squad of Western women voters is on its way to this city to take an active part in the evening's entertainment. The delegation will pass through seven campaign States.

U. S. Weather Bureau Bulletin

Table with columns for Stations, Sea, Wind, and Weather. Includes locations like Abilene, Texas, and New York.

THE WEATHER

Official Forecast. For eastern Pennsylvania—Fair tonight and Tuesday; slightly warmer Tuesday; gentle to moderate winds becoming southerly.